AWARD DETERMINATION / NOTICE OF AWARD



ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION Contract Management Unit 1535 West Jefferson Street Phoenix, Arizona 85007-3209



SOLICITATION NO. RFP ED06-0046

Integrated Adult Education and GED Testing Data Management Services

Pursuant to A.A.C. R2-7-C317 <u>Contract Award</u> I determine to award a contract for services to the following vendors: GEDScoring.com of Spanish Fork, Utah to provide the services required by the above referenced solicitation and further described by the offeror's proposal. This proposal was determined to be the most advantageous to the State based on the evaluation criteria set forth in the solicitation.

The procurement was conducted pursuant to A.R.S. § 41-2534 and implementing rules, and under authority delegated to the Department by the State Procurement Administrator. The Department issued solicitation number ED06-0046 on June 6, 2006.

The Department received 2 proposals in response to this solicitation by 3:00PM MST on July 6, 2006 The following additional vendor responses were received and reviewed for possible award;

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An evaluation panel created of three (3) Arizona Department of Education Adult Education staff met on August 11, 2006 to begin the evaluation of the proposals and again on August 18 and August 25, 2006 for a consensus review of all proposals. The team included James Roe, Theresa Lax and Wilda Theobald. I sat on the panel as facilitator. The panel used a detailed evaluation scoring rubric which covered the following criteria:

A. Quality

B. Timeliness

C. Reporting

D. Programming

E. Data Archiving

F. Customer Service

G. Training and Staff Development

H. Pricing

The committee awarded evaluation scores based on a 1000-point scale. See attached consensus summary of evaluation panel scoring.

The completed evaluation forms for these proposals and assessments are available in the procurement file.

Andrew K. Wilson Procurement Officer Date